

~JEHONATHAN (24)

(Je-hon'a-than) [Yehowah Has Given]

- **A secretary whose house was converted into a prison, where Jeremiah was kept in detention.**
- **And the princes began to get indignant at Jeremiah, and they struck him and put him into the house of fetters, in the house of **Jehonathan** the secretary, for this was what they had made the house of detention. (**Jeremiah 37:15**)**
- **And now listen, please, O my lord the king. May my request for favor, please, fall before you, and do not send me back to the house of **Jehonathan** the secretary, that I may not die there. (**Jeremiah 37:20**)**
- **You must also say to them, I was letting my request for favor fall before the king, that he should not send me back to the house of **Jehonathan** to die there. (**Jeremiah 38:26**)**
- **The house likely had subterranean quarters suitable for imprisonment.**